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stratigraphic nomenclature.

EXPLANATION

INDEX NUMBER OF MEASURED SECTION SHOWN  
ON PLATE 3 OF CRO MAP—Coal section measured at  
point of triangle.

LINE OF COMPOSITE SECTION—Showing index  
number of section shown on plate 3 of CRO map.  
Composite section is based on nearby coal bed thickness  
measurements.

OIL AND GAS TEST HOLE—Showing drill-hole data, in  
feet.

COAL TEST HOLE—Showing index number of hole shown  
on plate 3 of CRO map, and drill-hole data, in feet.

GL—Ground elevation  
NR—No record  
R—Rock interval  
C—Coal interval  
TD—Total depth

DRILL-HOLE DATA SYMBOLS

F—F coal bed  
E—E coal bed  
C and D—C and D coal beds  
Sa<sub>u</sub>—Upper Sawyer split  
Sa<sub>l</sub>—Lower Sawyer split  
Kn—Knobloch  
LC—Lay Creek  
F-G—Flowers-Goodale  
Te—Terret  
L—Local

COAL BED SYMBOLS AND NAMES

TRACE OF COAL BED OUTCROP—Dashed where  
approximately located; short dashed where inferred.  
Showing thickness of coal, or coal-rock intervals, in feet,  
measured at triangle. Where a thickness fraction is  
shown, it indicates the net coal thickness (upper number)  
and net partings thickness (lower number). Letters  
designate the name of the coal bed as listed above.  
Arrow points toward coal-bearing area. Trace of coal  
outcrop has been modified from Bass (1932, pl. 3),  
Brown, et al. (1954, pl. 23), and Gilmour and Williams  
(1969, pls. 1, 2, 3) to fit modern topographic map.

BURNED AND CLINKERED COAL BED—Showing  
area of baked and fused rock (v symbol). Dotted line  
indicates the inferred limit of burning.

COAL MINE

To convert feet to meters, multiply feet by 0.3048.

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INDEX MAP—Showing location of the North Stacey School  
quadrangle and the Northern Powder River Basin Known  
Recoverable Coal Resource Area (stippled), Montana